

Bicycle and Pedestrian Alliance of Clinton
Zoom Meeting Minutes
February 24, 2021

Members Present: Carrie Allen, Mark Koschwitz, Moe Bean and Paul Egan in attendance. Meeting called to order at 6:04 pm.

Minutes Approved Minutes were reviewed from January 2021. Mark moved to accept minutes Carrie seconded and minutes were approved.

BPAC Mission Statement approved The town has requested a mission statement from BPAC. A final version of the mission statement was decided upon. Carrie made a motion to accept it which was seconded by Mark. The BPAC mission statement was approved.

Greenway Signage Carrie reported that all Greenway directional signs as well as a few bike route signs were installed. Signage for the submitted “next step” bike route map to Karl Kilduff will follow.

Greenway Update Carrie reported the joint meeting with the Madison Greenway and an engineer had to be postponed. However, the co-chair from the Madison Greenway is excited to present an alternative route to the Hammonasset River bridge via a dedicated bike lane on Route 1 in front of Donohue’s and Clam Castle. This will avoid passing through Hammonasset property (State of CT) which will be difficult to arrange, and avoid going through Salt Meadow Park (Madison Park and Recreation). CT DOT has been very helpful in this pursuit.

Bike Repair Stations ready for installation The of the repair stations will be located at the new Clinton Train Station, which has a sheltered bike rack area. The contractor has been given installation instructions for the repair station. The suggested location for the additional bike repair station (based on priority) is 1) Clinton Town Beach, 2) Town Dock and Boat Launch area, 3) Behind Town Hall.

Bike Giveaway/Swap Safety Day Event The event is scheduled for Saturday April 17 from 10 am until 2 pm. Bikes will be provided for those who have outgrown or need a bike. It will be held at behind the Police Station. BPAC will have a table available for displaying bike safety materials and sign up sheets for bikes. Mark and Carrie have offered to help transport bikes and support the event.

Motion to adjourn was made and seconded. Meeting was adjourned at 6:40 pm.

Next meeting will be March 24 at 6:00 pm via Zoom (Zoom link to meeting below):
<https://mitchell.zoom.us/j/97134295931?pwd=QldVSS9ia3JGcXJCUG0xSVBqd0s2dz09>
Meeting ID 971 3429 5931 Passcode 574205

minutes by Paul Egan 02/25/2021